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Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICIAL ACTION OF APRIL 9, 2001

Reconsideration and further examination is respectfully requested in view of the  
following amendments and remarks:

In the Claims

Please amend the following claim:

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Claim 24 (amended). A compound according to claim 1 which is selected from:

(±)-Ethyl 2-ethoxy-3-[4-[[3-methyl-4-oxo-3,4-dihydro-2-quinazolinyl]  
methoxy]phenyl]propanoate;

(±)-2-Ethoxy-3-[4-[[3-methyl-4-oxo-3,4-dihydro-2-quinazolinyl] methoxy]  
phenyl]propanoic acid;

(±)-Sodium 2-ethoxy-3-[4-[[3-methyl-4-oxo-3,4-dihydro-2-quinazolinyl]  
methoxy]phenyl]propanoate;

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